



WHO THEY  
REALLY ARE.

NOT MANY  
KNOW

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RURU



INFERNO  
THE GREAT ADVENTURE OF THE  
MAGICAL WORLD

EVERYBODY  
WANTS TO BE  
SOMEONE  
GREAT.

BUT  
EVERYBODY  
WANTS TO  
KNOW,



NEVERTHELESS,  
MANY DIE WITH-  
OUT FULFILLING  
THEIR DESIRES,  
DISINTEGRATED  
BY MICROBS.



THIS WAY  
PLEASE.

THE ONE  
EVERYONE  
FEARS,  
ADMIRE AND  
WORSHIPS!

THE NEXT  
DON OF  
THE KOSA  
FAMILY,  
SASHA!!

NOT  
KNOWING

"WHAT" THEY  
BECAME.

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CHAPTER 9: BLACK SANTA

近未来 17-18歳の少女

IN THE END

IF I'M WITH YOU, WE MAY FALL INTO HELL

on

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FOFO...

I'M GOING  
TO GET  
KILLED!!







CLOSED IS MY  
RIGHT HAND  
MAN. PLEASE  
DON'T BULLY HIM  
TOO MUCH

THAT WAS  
WHEN YOU  
WERE A CHILD,  
RIGHT?

IT APPEARS  
SO...



← THE  
ROBBER

.....



BUT MORE  
IMPORTANTLY,



NO...!

IT'S ALL  
THANKS TO YOU,  
BELGARIY! YOU  
TAUGHT US THE  
SECRETS OF  
SUCCESS!!!

THANKS TO  
THE HONORABLE  
PEOPLE IN  
THIS SHOP.

I AM HERE  
TODAY





THAT'S  
RIGHT!

A TOAST TO THE  
RUSSIAN-STYLE!

"TO BRING  
A LAD..."

THAT'S NOT  
YOUR FINEST "



JUST AS IT'S  
NAME IMPLIES,  
THIS PLACE IS  
SASHA'S DEN.



THE NUMBER  
OF MEN HE CAN  
MOBILIZE USING  
HIS COMPANY'S  
INFLUENCE  
EASILY EXCEEDS  
100,000.



FROM SIMPLE  
JOBS/PATROL  
SERVICES,  
TO DEALING WITH  
CORRUPT,  
IT MANAGES EVERY  
"PERSON" AND  
EVERY NECESSARY  
INDUSTRY.



IT WAS HIS FIRST  
COMPANY, AND  
CURRENTLY ONE  
OF JAPAN'S LEADING  
EMPLOYMENT  
AGENCIES.



SINCE  
NOBODY KNOWS  
WHERE SASHA'S  
DIES AND BARS  
MAY BE...



THAT IS WHY  
EVERYONE  
FEARS HIM.



REMEMBER  
NOT TO KILL  
HIM.

AH...



SINCE IT'S  
GOING TO BE  
HIS BIRTHDAY  
SOON!



WELL,  
LET'S GO,  
GOLD.

WE HAVE  
TO BUY A  
PRESENT FOR  
RIOGA.



SINCE  
HE IS OUR  
PRECIOUS  
TRUMP  
CARD.



WE HAVE  
TO TRY A  
LITTLE BIT  
HARDER.



WE ARE  
QUITE BEHIND  
IN THE DIS-  
TRIBUTION  
BUSINESS.

THE HAKKA  
FAMILY IS  
WAY AHEAD  
OF US.



DID YOU  
GET HOLD  
OF THAT?



LET ME GIVE YOU  
A PRESENT.



OK.

YES, I WILL  
SEND YOU  
A REPORT  
LATER.



THIS  
GUY...

BLOOD  
WILL  
FLOW

FROM  
WITHIN  
THE SAME  
FAMILY.



I DIDN'T  
SERVE  
HIM.

FORTUNE-  
TELLING  
ON THE  
STREET?  
THAT'S  
CURIOS.



WAAAAH

NO WAY.

ARE YOU  
SAYING THAT  
I'LL START  
FIGHTING  
MY OWN  
BROTHER?



FROM WITHIN  
THE SAME  
FAMILY..?



I'M  
ALREADY  
DONE WITH  
THAT.



WE ARE  
NOT LIKE  
THE HAKKA  
FAMILY.



I SAID  
OUTTA A  
NOSTALGIC  
THING.

TO A  
MASCADER  
BETWEEN THE  
BROTHERS.

HE...



... I UNDER-  
STAND  
YOU HATE  
HAKKA...

I CAN SAY  
THE SAME  
TO YOU...

IT IS NOT  
ABOUT ME LIVING  
OR KILLING HAKKA...  
HE IS DANGEROUS  
TO THE FAMILY.

BUT PLEASE  
DON'T BULLY  
ME TOO  
MUCH.

AND YOU  
CONSIDERING  
HOW TO DEAL  
WITH THE PRINCE?



EVERY TIME HE  
MOVES AROUND  
OUR TERRITORY,  
THE PRINCE'S  
HONEY ALSO  
MOVES.

AND BECAUSE OF  
THAT, ORDERS  
LIKE YOUR APPEAR,  
WAS BACK UP THE  
PRINCE...



BECAUSE

HE'S  
ALREADY  
BEEN A  
LAD,



THERE'S NO  
WAY SHE  
WOULD HAVE  
BEEN THE  
DOW.



WELL...  
THERE

HAY!  
THAT SO?

WHAT  
SHOULD I SAY  
HIM AS A  
FRIEND?



IT LOOKS  
LIKE THE  
SANTAL GROUP'S  
SUSPICION  
GROWING  
FASTER.

SHE CREATED  
AN ORIGINAL  
DRUG AND GOT  
HOLD OF THE  
SELLING  
ROUTES.

SHE SNATCHED  
ONE OF THE FIVE  
GROUPS AFFILIATED  
WITH THE AKAGI  
EASILY.

SENME  
KYOJKA.

WOW, IT  
LOOKS LIKE  
IT'S DONE.

WHAT IF SHE  
SPENT MORE THAN  
THOSE TEN YEARS  
WAITING FOR THE  
OPPORTUNITY FOR  
REVENGE?

WHAT IS THE  
PERSON BEHIND  
HIS TENDENCY --  
SETTING UP A  
GOUP D'ETAT  
THAT TOOK HER  
TEN YEARS?

THAT IS QUOTE  
CAPABLE.

MUCH  
THAN HER  
ABILITY, I'M  
WORRIED  
ABOUT HER  
MOTIVES.



WHAT ARE  
YOU PLANNING  
TO DO ONCE YOU  
SEPARATE FROM  
COLLEGE?

SOUL.



WHAT IS  
IT...?



WHAT  
DO YOU  
MEAN  
...?



.....



NOTHING  
IN PARTICULAR.

JUST LIKE  
ALWAYS,  
I'M PLANNING  
TO BE IN  
YOUR SIDE.



IT'S  
YOUR LIFE  
AFTER  
ALL

... I'M



THERE MUST  
BE SOMETHING  
THAT YOU WANT  
TO DO, RIGHT?

YOU SHOULD  
ALSO DO  
WHATEVER  
YOU LIKE

SINCE I'M NOT  
PLANNING TO  
WORK FOR THE  
FAMILY



FROM TIME TO  
TIME, YOU'VE  
BEEN TAKING BIG  
SUMS OF MONEY  
TO PERSON... I CAN  
IMAGINE WHAT  
FOR...



IF YOU WANT TO  
WALK THE PATH  
OF LIGHT, I'LL  
HAVE NO OTHER  
CHOICE THAN TO  
LET YOU GO

HE HAS BEEN  
TAKING CARE OF  
THE OLUMP'S DEBILITATED  
AND MARCH  
APPROXIMATELY  
TO HAVE THEM  
ADOPTED



BECAUSE I'M  
ALREADY  
BROKEN...

ARE YOU  
ALRIGHT?

YES



YOU'RE  
RIGHT!  
I'M NOT  
FINE AT  
ALL!

THESE NEVER-  
ENDING HOOKUPS  
ARE ALL BECAUSE  
MY BRAIN DOESN'T  
HAVE ENOUGH  
NUTRIENTS!



YOU'RE BEING  
LOOKING UP  
FOR A WHILE,  
JUST LIKE A  
DRAGON

YOU'LL GET  
NUTRIENTS







I HOPE AT  
LEAST HE  
DIDN'T GET  
HIMSELF INTO  
TROUBLE

TO RUN AWAY  
FROM THE FOSTER  
FAMILY HE WENT  
TO SUCH TROUBLE  
TO FIND,



HI FAGO



SO HE  
HIT THE  
MARK.

NO-HOW  
FO YOU  
ON...

WAAAAHHH!

YOU HAVE  
THE FACE OF  
SOMEONE WHO  
IS GOING TO BE  
DECEASED IN  
MOMENT FOR ALL  
HIS LIFE.



...WHY  
DID YOU  
COME  
HERE?



WHAT? NO  
GROOP?

LET'S GO,  
NOEL.

.....



AM

SHUT  
MAY THIS  
THING!



YOU  
SHOULDN'T  
BE HERE.



KYA  
AAA  
AA  
AA  
!!

YOU  
SHOULDN'T  
GO DOWN  
THE ROBOT  
ROAD

SHUT UP,  
GEZER!!

I'M IN A  
HURRY!

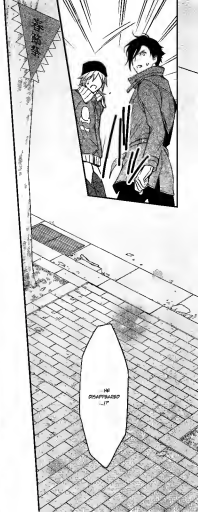
AHH..

IT CAN'T BE  
TRUE...

FORGIVE  
ME, DR.  
KAGURO  
LONG!

A MAN  
WAS HIT  
BY A CAR

DESTINY  
CANNOT BE  
CHANGED.









YOU KNOW...

IT'S NOT AS IF THE SUKKA FAMILY IS GOING AWAY HOMESIDE

BUT WE HAVE OUR HILL

THE HOMESIDE IS A MONETARY GIFT WHICH IS GIVEN DURING HOLIDAYS, CALLED TO THE JAPANESE "OTOSHIDAMA."

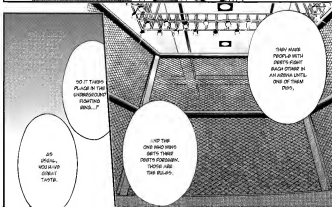


COULD YOU SHARE SOME OF THE HOME WHAT'S FOOD WITH US?



IT'S A LARGE-SCALE GAMBLING MEETING TRADITIONAL OF THE SUKKA FAMILY.

HEI HEI, WHAT'S THAT?



SO IT TAKES PLACE IN THE GROUND FLOOR, RIGHT...?

AS SUCH, YOU HAVE GREAT TASTE.

AND THE ONE WHO WINS GETS THREE DAYS' FORGIVEN. THERE ARE THE RULES.

THEY HAVE PEOPLE WITH SWORDS FIGHT EACH OTHER IN AN ARENA UNTIL ONE OF THEM DIES.



!!

I'LL HAVE  
YOU PAY  
BACK YOUR  
DEFTS...

FEAR...

WHEN DID  
THEY...



...THAT'S  
RIGHT

AND YOU  
TOO...



I'M SORRY,  
HOB...

BUT I'LL  
HAVE YOU  
TACKLE FIRST  
IN AN  
HOB...

HAHA

THE DEAL  
YOU...



SHIT!!



IF IT WASN'T  
FOR WHAT  
HAPPENED WITH  
NIWI, THIS  
PLACE WOULD  
BE FULL OF  
PRODUCTS BY  
NOW!!



WHAT  
HAPPENED  
WITH NIWI  
WAS AN  
ACCIDENT,  
CHANG.

THAT  
BAS-  
TARD  
NOEL!



"WHO"  
ON EARTH  
IS HE?



KNOW NOEL,  
RIGHT?

SO...

YOU



... BUT...

BUT?



OF COURSE  
I KNOW HIM.

NOEL  
FROM THE  
ASHES,  
RIGHT?

WE USED  
TO LIVE  
TOGETHER.

WHETHER  
THOSE PARENTS  
DIED OR WHETHER  
THEY WERE  
CARRIED BY  
THE DEATH  
TRUCKS,  
YOU ALWAYS  
GET TO KNOW THE  
BACKGROUND OF  
THOSE WHO COME  
TO THE SCHOOL  
IMMEDIATELY.



BUT  
THAT GUY,  
NOEL..

APPEARED  
IN THE ASHES  
OUT OF  
NOWHERE.



BUT HOW'S  
DRA WAS FOUND  
IN THE RECORDS  
OF A PUBLIC  
HOSPITAL OF  
SANDOL.

THEN  
THERE'S NO  
DOUBT THAT  
HE IS A SPY  
FROM THE  
ARAB.

SANDOL?

OUT OF  
NOWHERE.

NO WAY... HOW  
COULD A KID GET  
OUT OF THE ARAB  
TERRITORY?

WHAT  
ABOUT THE  
STORY OF HIM  
COMING FROM  
SANDOL?

SAY

REMEMBER

HE RECEIVED  
A NAME  
FROM THE  
PRINCE

AND NOW  
IS ON  
SEVEN,  
RIGHT?

THAT WAS  
PROBABLY HIS  
PLAN ALL  
ALONG FROM  
THE BEGIN-  
NING...





... CLASP



STOP IT,  
SHAGG.

IT'S YOUR  
PART AND'S  
FAULT THAT  
OUR GROUP  
CAME UP  
WITH GREAT  
LOSERS!

WE ALREADY  
KNEW THAT  
EVEN WITHOUT  
YOU TELLING  
US!

I'LL ONLY  
LET YOU LIVE,  
BECAUSE EVEN IF  
I SELL ALL OF  
YOUR ORGANS IT  
WOULDN'T BE  
ENOUGH!

HAHA!



OTHER  
WAYS TO  
USE HIM

THESE  
ARE STILL





IT LOOKS  
LIKE MOM  
WAS INVITED  
TO STUDY  
ABROAD.  
WELL, HE IS AN  
EXCELLENT STUDENT.



SINCE  
THAT  
NIGHT



IT'S HIGH  
TIME FOR  
YOU TO  
DECIDE.



WHETHER YOU  
ARE GOING TO  
SERIOUSLY GET  
INTO BUSINESS  
OR WANT ARE  
YOU GOING  
TO DO HIGH  
SCHOOL COLLEGE.



BUT,  
IS IT REALLY  
WHAT HE  
WANTS?

IF I SAID  
I WANT TO  
FOLLOW  
THE FAMILY'S  
BUSINESS,  
HE WILL  
GIVE UP ON  
STUDYING  
ABROAD.



WE HAVE BEEN  
WALKING THE  
SAME ROAD.



IS THERE A  
REASON WHY  
HE CAN'T  
TALK ABOUT  
HIS PAST?

IF SO,  
WOULD THAT BE  
BECAUSE...



HE ALWAYS  
WEARS A  
STRAIGHT  
FACE AND  
NEVER TRIES  
TO TALK  
ABOUT  
HIMSELF

NO MATTER  
WHAT SELFISH  
THINGS I ASK,  
HE NEVER  
COMPLAINS.



HIS  
BROTHER...



ONCE IN A  
WHILE

LET IT  
JUST BE  
THE TWO  
OF US.

IS HIS BROTHER'S HAND A HELPING  
HAND. OR AN INVITATION TO HELL?

TO BE CONTINUED

Hi  
Pv

HI, SCHIMMEL

DO YOU  
WANT TO  
GO ON A  
DATE WITH  
ME?



The background is a soft, painterly illustration. On the left, a girl with dark hair in a white dress stands near a girl with blonde hair in a purple dress. They are in a garden with white flowers and green foliage. On the right, a large, stylized blue butterfly is visible. The overall color palette is light and airy, with pastel tones.

# AQUA SCANS

PRESENTS

Inferno c.

ED: SHIRO  
ES: JELLIE MONKEH & MIZUOJI  
FL: EDAM  
PR: SYVELYN  
GC: MIZUOJI